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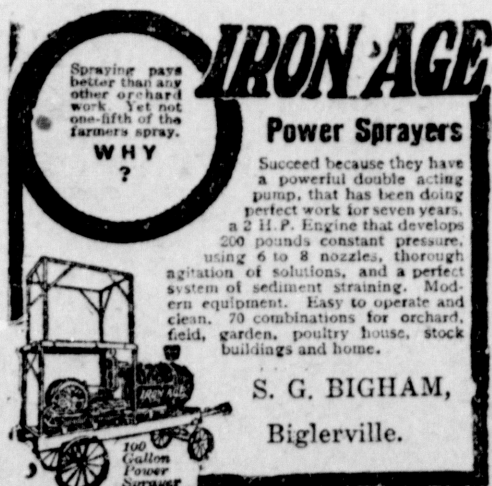
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MAN FOUND DEAD IN LOCAL YARDS

Taking Freight Shipment from Philadelphia to Frederick, J. L. Bloomingdale Dies during the Night on Round Top Siding.

Kneeling before an improvised bunk in the cab of an electric engine, a man later identified as J. L. Bloomingdale, of Philadelphia, was found dead this morning by William Mahanna while he was inspecting cars on the Round Top Siding near West Middle street. The man had evidently been dead for several hours.

On Tuesday evening the Reading brought in with some other freight two electric engines from the Baldwin Locomotive Works, at Philadelphia, consigned to the electric railway operating between Thurmont and Frederick, and built for the purpose of hauling small freight trains on that road. With the engines was Bloomingdale, a representative of the Baldwin Works. He lived in the cab of one of the engines, having a cooking outfit and making his bed on an improvised bunk constructed over the boxed motors.

After arriving here he talked with several of the trainmen working in the local yards and was in apparently good health. He was last seen during the early evening. This morning Mr. Mahanna, car inspector for the Western Maryland, was making his rounds and glancing into the cab of one of the engines saw the form of the man kneeling before his bunk. He called to him and rapped on the door, but received no reply and at once notified J. A. Cox, the local agent of the Philadelphia and Reading.

Employees at the Reading freight station opened the cab and found that the man had evidently been stricken during the night and fell out of the bunk. Dr. J. R. Dickson, the company surgeon here, was summoned and he stated that the man had been dead for several hours but that, without an autopsy, he could not state the cause. District Attorney Wible was notified but decided that, as death had evidently been the result of natural causes, no inquest was necessary.

The body was placed in the care of a local undertaker who prepared it for shipment to Philadelphia. Mr. Bloomingdale is thought to have been about 45 years of age.

Advices received from the Baldwin Locomotive Works during the morning were to the effect that two men would be sent here, the one to take the body of the dead man back to Philadelphia; and the other to go on with the engines to Frederick. Nothing whatever is known here concerning Mr. Bloomingdale, other than his name.

SUPPORT PASTOR

Rev. Mr. Livingston Not Asked to Resign, Says Council.

The council of the Rev. Peter Livingston's church in York repudiates the statement, which first appeared in a York paper last week, that the minister had been asked to resign. They point to an increase in membership from 75 to 500 during his pastorate, the building up of a fine Sunday School, and the acquiring of a substantial church and parsonage property as evidences of his successful work.

FIRE CHECKED

Batterman Shops Threatened for a Short Time.

An incipient fire threatened serious damage at the Batterman machine shop on York street this morning when sparks supposed to have come from a road roller set fire to paper on the roof. A still alarm was turned in and the blaze was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

HORSES and mules for sale. Some good single line leaders. Among the lot you'll find some good drivers, too. John N. Weaver.—advertisement 1

EASTER OPENING. Call again and see our new line of the latest Easter fads in millinery. Thomas Brothers, Biglerville, Pa.—advertisement 1

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TUDOR HOUSE IS BOUGHT BY FRAT

Sigma Alpha Epsilon will Occupy Springs Avenue Residence. Purchase Made by Alumnus of Chapter.

Prof. George M. Rice this morning bought the brick dwelling of Dr. J. W. Tudor, on Springs avenue. The purchase price was \$4600. Possession will be given May first.

It is understood that the house was bought by Prof. Rice in the interest of the Pennsylvania Delta Chapter of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, and that they will make arrangements to use it as a chapter house. The fraternity for a number of years has had rooms on the third floor of the Star and Sentinel Building, Baltimore street.

A recent ruling of the board of trustees of the college allows two members to sleep in each of the fraternity houses and the arrangements of the building bought this morning would allow several private rooms on the second floor, while the remainder of the house can be readily adapted to the uses of the chapter.

The residence has been built for only a comparatively short time and this, with its desirable location, makes the purchase a rather advantageous one for the college boys. It has not yet been decided when the fraternity will take up the matter of improving the property, the title for the present remaining in the name of Prof. Rice.

The chapter intends to make this a temporary home, their ultimate plan being to erect a thoroughly modern house on the college campus, for which they were given permission at a recent meeting of the trustees.

McSHERRYSTOWN

McSherrystown—The boxing show held Saturday night in the Union Opera house by a number of followers of the ring from York, proved to be very interesting, but poorly attended. The audience was very small and instead of the regular show, an exhibition only was given.

It is rumored that an automobile line will be established between Littlestown and Gettysburg. The fare will be 75 cents round trip. This will be a great convenience to local business men and our people in general who make frequent trips to the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Smith, of North street, have returned from Scranton where Mr. Smith served as a juror at the district court.

Rev. L. Aug. Reudter, rector of St. Mary's, has prepared an illustrated lecture on the European war and will deliver it next week. He has 150 views and 15 maps taken from magazines and periodicals, which have been painted in colors and will be thrown on the screen.

The five dollar bill which, it will be recalled, was accidentally burned by Mrs. Frank Busbey, some time ago, has been redeemed by the United States government. On Monday a crisp new bill was received.

Leon Neidererr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neidererr, was taken to the West Side Sanitarium, York, Sunday evening, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He was accompanied by his physician, Dr. A. C. Rice. His condition is greatly improved.

NOW RECOGNIZED

Blue Ridge League Qualifies in Class D.

Secretary John H. Farrell, of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, has issued the following notice:

"The Blue Ridge League, embracing the territory of Martinsburg, W. Va., Frederick, Md., and Gettysburg and Chambersburg, Pa., has qualified in class D."

LAST SPELLING

Fairplay School will Have its Final Contest.

The last spelling bee of the year will be held at Fairplay School, Cumberland township, Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are invited. Should the weather be inclement it will be held Thursday evening.

CREMER'S blooming plants for Easter. Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Gettysburg Department Store.—advertisement 1

LEVI STALLSMITH TAKEN BY DEATH

Dies at his Home on East Middle Street after an Illness of Several Years. Sudden Deaths of County People.

LEVI H. STALLSMITH
Levi Hamilton Stallsmith died at eight o'clock this morning at the home of his brother, George W. Stallsmith, East Middle street, aged 63 years, 10 months, and 18 days. He had been an invalid for the past two years and seven months, following a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Stallsmith was born in Gettysburg May 13, 1851, a son of the late William C. and Barbara Culp Stallsmith. For twenty years before he was taken ill he followed the profession of architecture and at the time of his affliction was in the employ of Richards and Shourds, carpenters and builders, of Philadelphia.

His wife, who before marriage was Miss Alice Johns, of Gettysburg, died in 1906, and he leaves two brothers and two sisters, R. K. Stallsmith, of York; George W. Stallsmith, Miss Mary Stallsmith, and Miss Sadie Stallsmith, of Gettysburg.

He was a member of Gettys Lodge I. O. O. F., Siloam Encampment No. 17, I. O. O. F., of Philadelphia; and a life long member of St. James Lutheran church.

The funeral will be held from his late home at 1:30 Saturday afternoon. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

JOHN ZINN

John Zinn, a life long resident of East Berlin, died suddenly at his home in that place on Tuesday evening about 6:30 aged 75 years.

He had been a sufferer from a form of heart trouble for some time and was stricken while walking on the street near his home. He was taken to his residence and died before a physician arrived.

He leaves his second wife, and five children, Charles and Monroe Zinn, of York; Lloyd Zinn, Hanover; Miss Rosie Zinn and Miss Catharine Zinn, at home.

Funeral Saturday morning at 9:30 from his late home. Interment at Holtzschwan.

LEVI D. SELL

Levi D. Sell, a native of Union township, was stricken suddenly on the streets of Hanover, Tuesday morning, and died soon after being taken to his home. He was aged 53 years, 9 months, and 15 days. Mr. Sell had never recovered from injuries he received last summer when he fell from the second story of a building which he was painting in Hanover.

Mr. Sell spent a number of years in Taneytown and moved to Hanover two years ago. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Eliza Hawk, of Taneytown, his wife, and eight children. Mrs. Sell was visiting in Keysville at the time of her husband's death.

JOSHUA BEAMER

Joshua Beamer, a native of Menallen township, died on March 18 at Abilene, Kansas, where he had been living since the Civil War. He leaves one sister, Mrs. Leah Beamer, of Altoona.

LEAVE FOR HOME

Colleagues Expect to Enjoy Several Days' Recess.

Some of the college boys could not wait for the beginning of the Easter recess to go to their homes and, as a result, all the trains to-day took students. The majority of them will not go until to-morrow. The return will be on Monday, work being resumed the following day. Practically all the boys will be away over Easter.

SIGNED PLAYER

First Baseman Secured for Blue Ridge Team.

C. M. Perry, of Baltimore, has been signed by Ira Plank as first baseman on the Gettysburg team. Perry has played with some well known independent teams and will report at the beginning of the season.

FOR RENT: two front rooms, 28 Chambersburg street.—advertisement 1

CORN FODDER for sale, Musselman Canning Company.—advertisement 1

ANOTHER CLERK AT POST OFFICE

Mark Bream Transferred from Carrier Service. Parcel Post Man Put on Route, and New Carrier Takes his Place.

Changes at the Gettysburg post office effective on Thursday, April first, will add materially to the effectiveness of the force under Postmaster Duncan, providing the means necessary to handle properly the large amount of business now being done every day.

An additional clerk is allowed by the ruling of the Department and F. Mark Bream will be transferred from the city carrier force. He will be assigned to the general delivery and stamp window.

Charles Bowers, at present parcel post delivery man, will take Mr. Bream's place on the city carrier force, and Raymond Lentz, son of J. A. Lentz, of Chambersburg street, will have charge of the parcel post department. Mr. Lentz stood first on the certified list of eligibles, who passed the Civil Service test.

The addition of Mr. Bream to the force in the office will provide two clerks for the general delivery and stamp windows, two clerks for the money order and registry windows, and two clerks with the assistant postmaster for the work of distribution. This force will, it is believed, prove highly efficient and will be able to cope with the business to be cared for.

ARENDTSTOWN

Arendtstown—Pius S. Orner had a new stable built on his lot on Pearl street. The house is now occupied by Rev. D. T. Koser until the new Lutheran parsonage in this town is built.

Rev. T. C. Hession made a trip to East Berlin on the 22nd inst, to serve on a committee of the Gettysburg Classis to reconstruct the church.

Miss Vida Koser, who is attending Irving College, is spending her Easter vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. T. Koser.

Ira E. Lady, who is a teacher in the Normal School at West Chester, is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram C. Lady.

Edwin Roberts, a student at Franklin and Marshall College, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts.

On account of services in the local church, the Parent Teachers' meeting will be on Monday evening, April 5th, instead of Friday. Having engaged speakers from Gettysburg, we expect to have an unusual treat. Parents are especially urged to come to this meeting as it is the last one for this school year.

FOR REVIVAL

Dr. Biederdorf will Conduct Meetings at Hagerstown.

The new tabernacle in Hagerstown in which the seven weeks evangelistic services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Biederdorf has been completed and the electric lights turned on for the first time. Rev. George B. Townsend, pastor of the First Christian Church, who is chairman of the committee of ushers, stated that seventy-five ushers had been enlisted, and that they would begin familiarizing themselves with their duties. The Biederdorf meetings will open Easter Sunday night.

STORK NEWS

Births Announced by Town and County Residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinney, of York street, announce the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Clapsaddle, of near town, announce the birth of a daughter.

MOUNTAIN BLAZE

Forestry Students' Services were not Required.

A recent big forest fire in the vicinity of Beuna Vista burned over a dozen acres. The students at the Mont Alto school were notified and made a prompt reply but the fire was under control by the time they arrived.

LOST: sum of money about or on Centre Square. Reward if returned to Times.—advertisement 1

FLITTINGS ON ALL THE ROADS

Caravans of Household Goods being Transferred from One Farm to Another. Automobile Trucks Used by Farmers.

In every section of Adams County to-day there were seen wagon-trains bearing all the furniture and possessions of residents who were taking their annual spring flitting to other neighborhoods. Tenants moving from one farm to another, farmers retiring from the country to one or other of the county villages, town people going to the country, all composed the general moving-fest and few were the roads which did not have one or more of these caravans pass over it during the day.

The general "all-change" custom was never more in evidence than to-day and scores of persons in the country, as well as in the towns, were changing their place of abode with the intention of remaining at their new residence at least one year. Plenty of them do not intend to stay longer, an April first moving being as regular an observance with them as Memorial Day or Fourth of July.

Rural folk say that each year the automobile van is coming more into prominence and that, as these increase in number, the old-fashioned method of moving with a long line of teams will gradually fall into disuse. Country people as well as those in town are availing themselves of the services of the big trucks which move their goods more quickly and more conveniently.

The extent to which this is carried is shown by the route of one of the Gettysburg motor vans. On Monday morning it started with a large load of furniture from a farm near Hunterstown and conveyed it to another farm near York. Here it gathered another load for York Springs. At that place it was again loaded, this time for Harrisburg, and at the Capitol City another moving for Gettysburg was packed. The four trips required two days' time.

In Gettysburg there are said to be about the usual number of people changing their place of residence and those who wait until the final day will have all they can do to get out of their old home before the new tenant moves in. At dozens of town houses one family will be carrying their furniture out as another carries theirs in, and it will be several days before all are "settled" again.

PARTY

Maybelle Ridinger Given Surprise at her Home.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ridinger of West Middle street was the scene of a very pleasant surprise party Tuesday evening for their daughter, Maybelle Ridinger. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ridinger, Miss Mary Hollinger, Miss Madeline Kissinger, Miss Katherine Deardorff, Myrtle Stauffer, Jennie Hollinger, Elsie Tawney, Maybelle Weaver, Mildred and Helen Deardorff, Anna Gilbert, Maybelle Ridinger, Mary Kissinger, Ellen Tipton, Leroy Ridinger, Katherine Ridinger, Martha Ridinger.

WILL SELL BUILDING

York Firemen to Buy Property of Dr. Singmaster.

At a special meeting of the York Veteran Volunteer Firemen's association, the purchase of the J. A. Singmaster property, in York, formerly occupied by the Anstadt printery, was authorized and a committee was appointed to arrange to make such alterations as will suit the purposes of the organization. It is intended to establish a firemen's home where they can spend their leisure time, and where a museum or relics, and other articles of interest to firemen can be stored. It is a three story brick building fronting on Princess street.

MEETING

Mrs. Wilson Bream will Entertain Organization.

The Mary Schick W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Wilson Bream, Broadway, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

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FULL CREW MEN DRAW BIG CROWD

Railroad Employees Protest
Against Repealer.

HALL OF HOUSE JAMMED

Former Attorney General Bell Ridicules Railroads' Stand by Sarcastic Review of Their Arguments.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—A crowd such as has not been seen in the hall of the house of representatives this session jammed every inch of space a half hour before the hearing of the opponents of the full crew law repeal began.

Delegations of trainmen from most of the cities of the state marched to the capitol, headed by W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and A. B. Garrettson, president of the Order of Railroad Conductors, and the trainmen's band. The band gave a concert in the rotunda and attracted some additional hundreds.

When the hearing began sergeants-at-arms had to clear space to allow members of the committee to get to their seats. Senators, members, big railroad lawyers and executives had to stand.

James S. Varlet, of Danville, had charge of the employees' side. Seated near him were the railroad union officials. W. I. Schaffer, F. W. Fleitz, George Stuart Patterson, who made the main argument for the repeal last week; John S. Fisher and other prominent in railroad circles were in the audience.

Former Attorney General John C. Bell, who defended the full crew law in the courts, opened for the employees by a sarcastic review of the arguments on the other side.

He said that the money spent in wages for men under the full crew law went into circulation for food and clothing just as readily as if it went to the manufacturers of railroad supplies.

The former attorney general declared it was an interesting spectacle to see the Pennsylvania, which he styled "the proud sovereign of the corporation world," at the "mourner's bench," and that he wondered if the two millions paid for men required by the full crew law did not do as much good to the public as they would if the cash was spent for locomotives or rails.

Mr. Bell said the railroad officials had insisted that air brakes made everything safe. Some statistics which he said he had studied showed a considerable percentage due to defects in air brakes. He gave an allegory showing how the full crew law preserved from injury "the plain passenger and the toiling trainmen," as he phrased them. The question now he said, is whether the commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall require its creatures, the railroads, to take precautions which cost money which they would rather spend in dividends or for supplies.

Reference was made by the speaker to the workmen's compensation bill which proposed to wipe out common law defenses, which he said the railroads have invoked for years against their injured men.

"God speed the passage of the compensation laws and heaven retard and prevent the repeal of the full crew law. They are closely allied," declared Mr. Bell.

"They put humanity and rights above dollars and dividends, economic waste and mighty millions. They recognize the principle of protection of life and limb as one of the commonwealth's paramount duties."

The railroads' interpretation of the full crew law, the speaker charged, was false and misleading.

"Two-thirds of the statements contained in their interpretation of the law are unfair, uncandid and in some cases malicious," he declared.

The principal argument Mr. Bell made against the repealer was that the railroads, when they sought increases in passenger and freight rates, advanced the argument that the full crew law cost them \$2,000,000 a year.

"They have not agreed to go back to the old rates if the law is repealed," he asserted. "The petitions for the repeal which have flooded the legislature were obtained by the railroads as easily as falling off a log. One thing about petitions is that they are read neither by those who sign them nor by those who receive them."

Trade Balance Piles Up.
Washington, March 31.—The first four weeks of March piled up a trade balance of \$118,281,094 in favor of the United States. Since December the total balance has amounted to \$558,368,469. For last week alone the balance was \$56,170,588. Administration officials say the record continues to eclipse all others.

Shoots Himself in a Trolley Car.
Utica, N. Y., March 31.—John McCormick, twenty-two years old, of Utica, shot himself after standing on the seat of a Syracuse-to-Utica trolley car and reciting "The Rosary." Passengers made vain efforts to reach him. McCormick is dying in a Utica hospital.

Quite Frequently.
"A small mistake," said Uncle Eben, "makes a heap of difference. Every weather prophet 'ud be correct if he didn't git his dates mixed."

CAPTAIN THIERICHENS.

Commander of Eitel, Who Says Ship Will Not Interne.



Photo by American Press Association.

ALABAMA ON GUARD; EITEL STAYS IN PORT

German Cruiser is Expected to Intern.

Newport News, Va., March 31.—With her decks cleared for any action that may be necessary in upholding the American neutrality laws, the United States battleship Alabama reached the Virginia Capes from Philadelphia.

The warship is now on guard, prepared either to prevent the departure of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich without complying with all the naval regulations or to prevent British ships from making an attack on the German vessel in American waters.

Reports are current that the time limit for the departure or internment of the Prinz Eitel will expire at midnight. The general impression is that the ship will intern. All covers on her guns were removed Monday, and this was taken as confirmation of reports that her armament would no longer be used.

Rumors originating among American naval officers had it that the Alabama would escort the Prinz Eitel up the coast to New York for internment there, but no confirmation of these rumors was obtainable.

When the Alabama entered the Capes she cast anchor opposite Fort Monroe. On her way in the Alabama passed the British cruiser Cumberland, which has joined the allied warships awaiting the departure of the Prinz Eitel.

There are now three British and one French ship lying in wait for the German vessel just off the Capes, while three others are believed to be within call.

"EX'S" RAPS ARE BAD FORM

Mr. Wilson Declines to Discuss Criticisms by Taft and Roosevelt.

Washington, March 31.—President Wilson thinks some sort of etiquette should be built up to govern relations between presidents of the United States and former presidents.

He expressed the sentiment in saying he did not think it proper to reply to recent comments upon his administration by former Presidents Taft and Roosevelt.

When, at his weekly conference with the Washington correspondents, the president was reminded of Mr. Taft's recent comment on the administration's course toward the Philippines, and Colonel Roosevelt's remarks on the ship purchase bill, the president declined to reply, and said, with a laugh, that he hoped after leaving the office of president, that his successors would not express opinions on what he might say about them.

Rescue Sick Man at Fire.
Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—Samuel Masciale, of Enola, was rescued from his bed by firemen when his house caught fire. He is seriously ill with typhoid fever. The house burned to the ground. Masciale was brought to the Harrisburg hospital.

Drug Ban Drives Many Insane.
Springfield, Ill., March 31.—The Harrison federal drug act has increased the number of insane patients in the hospitals of the state by 300 in the past few weeks; it was asserted by members of the board of administration, at a legislative hearing here.

Four Insane Lost in Asylum Fire.
Oklahoma City, Okla., March 31.—One wing of the state insane asylum, at Fort Supply, burned and four of the inmates are missing. One of the guards was so badly burned that he may die.

Suffragists to Watch Jersey Polls.
Trenton, N. J., March 31.—The suffragists won a victory when Governor Fielder signed the bill to allow women watchers at the polls during the ballot on the woman suffrage amendment in September.

Apr. 30—First District S. S. Convention, Presbyterian church.
May 1—Base Ball Villanova. Nixon Field.

U. S. TROOPS ON MEXICAN BORDER

Funston's Artillery is Ready
For Emergency.

UNCERTAINTY IN CAPITAL

Foreigners Stay in Mexico City Despite Talk of Another Evacuation. Belligerents Prepare For Battle.

Washington, March 31.—On the American side of the Mexican border a dozen guns from the Third Field Artillery were ready for any emergency that might arise.

Secretary of War Garrison said that the instructions sent to General Funston were similar to those given him when bullets and shells fell on the American side in the fighting at Naco. The secretary refused to say, however, whether orders had been given to return the fire if the same thing happened at Brownsville.

The state department had meager advices from Mexico City, Secretary Bryan characterizing the situation as "uncertain, but with no disorders." No report tending to confirm statements that the Zapata forces were preparing to abandon the capital again had reached the department. The food situation again is somewhat critical, Mr. Bryan said, but General Garza has given assurances that something will be done to meet the emergency.

No foreigners yet have left Mexico City, Secretary Bryan said, although the Carranza and Zapata officials have promised to afford them facilities to reach Vera Cruz. A report from Vera Cruz said that the El Potrero sugar plantation, sixty miles from Vera Cruz, had been looted by a rebel band and the manager had asked for a military guard.

A dispatch that General Felipe Angeles had been decided upon by Villa and Zapata for the provisional presidency instead of General Garza lacks confirmation.

While the Villa forces are marking time in their attack on Matamoras, awaiting the arrival of artillery, the stage is being set for another battle at Lampazos, about seventy miles southwest of Nuevo Laredo.

Advices from the border to the state and war departments said that the Villa forces on the way to attack the Carranza forces at Nuevo Laredo were expected to reach Lampazos soon, "where a battle probably will be fought."

Earlier messages said Carranza troops were being assembled at Nuevo Laredo, including the force recently driven out of Piedras Negras. The garrison will number 1200.

17 MORE REACH SAFETY

Fourth Boat From Aquila Lands 15 of Crew and Two Passengers.

London, March 31.—The missing boat from the British steamer Aquila, sunk by a German submarine off the Pembrokeshire coast, containing fifteen members of the vessel's crew and two passengers, has reached safety.

This is the fourth boat that put off from the Aquila after the submarine attack. It was believed up to the present to have foundered. The number of men now supposed to have lost their lives with the sinking of the Aquila is nine.

VON KLUK MAY BE DISPLACED

Quarrel With Kaiser Said to Have Preceded His Mishap in Trench.

London, March 31.—General von Kluk, the German commander who led the advance into France, was wounded while recklessly inspecting trenches at the most dangerous point on the line, after a stormy interview with Emperor William, says an Amsterdam dispatch to the Express.

From the same source it is said the opinion is expressed in Berlin that as the result of the incident the emperor will entrust the command of Von Kluk's army to Prince Eitel Friedrich.

KAISER IN WAR COUNCIL

Effect of Przemyśl's Fall and Dardanelles Situation Considered.

Paris, March 31.—A dispatch to the Temps from Petrograd says that Emperor Wilhelm and Field Marshal von der Goltz are taking part in a war council in Berlin over the effect of the fall of Przemyśl and the Dardanelles situation, together with a new plan of campaign.

The general diplomatic situation is also occupying the attention of the conference.

Alleged Thief Takes Poison.

Boston, March 31.—Willard O. Wallace, known also as C. K. Higbee, charged with stealing money from banks in New Orleans, San Francisco and Portland, Ore., was arrested as a fugitive from justice, swallowed poison at the city prison. He was taken to the relief hospital, where he died in a few hours.

Burton a Candidate For President.

Panama, March 31.—Former Senator Burton sailed for Peru. At the Tivoli hotel he told friends that he was an active candidate for the Republican nomination for president.

Apr. 13, 14—Presbytery Meeting and Anniversary of Presbyterian Church.

KILLS GRANDMOTHER

Sen of Rich Philadelphia Shoots Aged Woman in Bed; Kills Self. Philadelphia, March 31.—Henry Baer, a young society and clubman, murdered his eighty-five-year-old grandmother, Mrs. Clotilda F. Cohen, and then shot himself, at 334 South Twenty-first street, the home of his father, Charles J. Cohen, president of the chamber of commerce, and an envelope maker of wealth.

The young man, who was thirty-two years old, died two hours later in the Jefferson hospital. The motive for the crime is a deep mystery. Two theories have been put forth, both by the father of the dead man. The first is that young Cohen suddenly went insane. The other is that he heard a noise in his grandmother's room and, running up there, fired without looking. When he saw that he had killed his grandmother, he then shot himself in a fit of despair.

Young Cohen used the heaviest revolver made, a long barreled Colt, .45. The police think he shot his grandmother while she slept. The bullet entered her cheek, passing upward through the head and lodging in a wall.

A note apprising two of his friends of his intention of suicide was written by Cohen, but it was too late to permit the recipients to prevent the tragedy.

BIGELOW QUILTS HIS HIGHWAY JOB APRIL 1

R. J. Cunningham Expected to be His Successor.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—Governor Brumbaugh has accepted the resignation of Edward M. Bigelow, chief of the state highway department, to take effect tomorrow.

The belief is that Robert J. Cunningham, of Pittsburgh, the Allegheny county controller, will be appointed to succeed Mr. Bigelow, whose resignation or removal had from the beginning of the Brumbaugh administration been regarded as among the political certainties.

During the campaign of last fall Governor Brumbaugh severely criticized the state's road building policy and many times asserted that he would, if elected, reorganize the highway department.

While the governor did not at any time declare that he would dispense with Bigelow's services, the position which he took as regards the road question was such that Bigelow's retirement at an even earlier date than this was expected.

Mr. Cunningham is not an engineer, but it is said that this would not weigh against him with the governor who is looking for a man of executive ability as head of the department.

TREASURER WAIVES HEARING

Bank Official, Short \$8370, Expected to Plead Guilty.

Lebanon, Pa., March 31.—Amos Hassler, treasurer of the Myerstown Trust company, who on Saturday last confessed to a \$8370 shortage in his accounts, retained City Solicitor Walter C. Graef as counsel and notice was given that a hearing before Alderman O. B. Siegrist, of Lebanon, would be waived.

Review of Hassler's admissions as to falsification of the bank's accounts it is expected that he will not wait until the regular June criminal sessions for a disposition of his case, but will take advantage of the state law which permits of an accused entering a plea of guilty at any time.

Colonel House Not Peace Envoy.

Washington, March 31.—There is a great deal of misapprehension as to what Colonel E. M. House was "up to" in Europe, President Wilson told his callers. The chief executive said the colonel merely was making a tour of inspection and intimating that the reports of Colonel House's efforts for peace in Europe had missed the mark.

Boxer Killed During Bout.

Steubenville, O., March 31.—"Special Delivery" Tully, a lightweight boxer of Pittsburgh, was killed in the first round of a scheduled eight-round boxing contest here after a clinch with Balmy Sharp. He was struck over the heart in the break. He fell and became unconscious and died in fifteen minutes at a hospital.

GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$6.35@6.60; city mills, fancy, \$7.75@8.

RYE FLOUR steady, at \$6.50@6.75 per barrel.

WHEAT firm; No. 2 red, \$1.51@1.53.

CORN firm; No. 2 yellow, 79¢@80¢.

OATS firm; No. 2 white, 63¢@64¢; lower grades, 61¢.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 16¢@17¢; old roosters, 11¢@12¢. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 20¢; old roosters, 14¢.

BUTTER firm; fancy creamery, 23¢.

EGGS steady; selected, 23¢@25¢; nearby, 22¢; western, 22¢.

Live Stock Prices.

CHICAGO—HOGS slow; mixed and butchers, \$6.50@6.90; good heavy, \$6.55@6.85; rough heavy, \$6.40@6.55; light, \$6.65@6.87; pigs, \$5.50@6.50; bulk, \$6.70@6.85.

CATTLE steady; heaves, \$5@8.75; cows and heifers, \$4.75@7.75; Texans, \$5.50@6.50; calves, \$7@10.50.

SHEEP steady; native and western, \$5.60@8.10; lambs, \$7.50@9.80.

IF the person who removed single, double, and triple trees from a plough near town will return same, no trouble will be made.—advertisement

PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the Happenings in and about Town People Visiting Here and Those Sojourning Elsewhere.

Mrs. L. M. Sowers, of West Middle street, and Mrs. Anna Bollinger, of South Washington street, are spending the day at New Oxford.

Miss Sara J. Miller, of near Biglerville, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Argive Warren left Tuesday afternoon for Millersville Normal School, to resume her studies.

Mrs. Henry Siegrist returned to Lebanon to-day after spending several days at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Valentine, Springs avenue.

John D. Lippy, of Chambersburg street, was a business visitor in Harrisburg to-day.

Simon Stock has returned from Mt. St. Mary's College to spend the Easter recess at his home on Baltimore street.

Mrs. Edward Scull, of Reading, is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bilheimer, Springs avenue.

Edgar Faber, who is attending Johns Hopkins University, is at his home on Chambersburg street for the Easter recess.

Mrs. Laura B. Bowers and Mrs. John Menis, of Mt. Holly Springs, spent Tuesday with friends in town.

PARTY

Friends of Alvah Stonifer Spend Pleasant Evening.

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Stonifer, of Orrtanna Route 1, on Monday evening in honor of their son, Alvah's seventeenth birthday. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Stonifer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Spence, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beisecker, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Beisecker, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lochbaum, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mickle, Mrs. Laura Heintzelman, Mrs. Clem Wolford, Mrs. Neal Lerew, Mrs. A. H. Keady, Misses Edith Daugherty, Faith Baltzley, Ethel Mickle, Daisy Stonifer, Olive Keady, Helen McGlaughlin, Blanche Herring, Emma Singley, Ruth Lerew, Gertrude Cease, Margaret Cease, Ottilie Cover, Mamie Weikert, Ruth Beisecker, Ruth Boyd, Dorothy Beisecker, Viola Herring, Esther Newman, Pauline Keady, Helen Cease, Maybelle Saylor, Katie Goodermuth, Carrie Heintzelman, Opal Spence, Ruth Lochbaum, Margaret Beisecker, Clova Lochbaum, Reba Lochbaum, Messrs. Alvah Stonifer, Andrew Stonaker, Allen Sloan, Dorsey Herring, Preston Singley, Dorsey Schultz, Robert Boyd, Lloyd Schultz, Luther Baltzley, Robert Johnson, Quay Nary, Arthur Mickle, Roy Chapman, Ross Boyd, Paul Deardorff, Willie Daugherty, Wilmer Wetzel, David Byer, Donald Mickle, Earl Baumgardner, John Shuyler, Raymond Baltzley, Byron Cease, Calvin Beisecker, Frederick Beisecker, Mark Byer, Clinton Weikert, Sam Lerew, John Lochbaum.

COMING EVENTS

Events Scheduled for Gettysburg during Coming Weeks.

Apr. 3—County Spelling Match. Court House.

Apr. 6—College Re-opens after Easter Recess.

Apr. 9—Parent Teachers' Meeting. High School Building.

LET US KNOW

Subscribers Changing Residence should Inform this Office.

Daily scores of persons are moving from one part of town to another, or from one farm to another. Subscribers to The Times will oblige us greatly if they will notify us promptly of such change giving both the old and new address. In this way no issues of the paper will be missed.

FOR SALE: 2500 feet wire cable; crab, blocks and tackle; lot Lewis' builder's level, lot of tools. Address F. B. Slonaker, 252 Baltimore street, Gettysburg.—advertisement

ROOMS papered for \$2.50. Harry C. Gilbert.—advertisement



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CUSTER OPERATOR QUITS KEYBOARD

Telegrapher Who Flashed Mas-
sacre Retires From Game.

ON DUTY TWENTY-ONE HOURS

Carnahan Sent Eighty Thousand Words
in Two Shifts, and Receipts of His
Office in Two Days Were \$3,000.
Newspaper Man Gave Carnahan Fifty
Dollar Bill For Extra Work.

John M. Carnahan, the telegraph op-
erator who sent out from Bismarck,
N. D., one of the biggest stories the
world ever read—the story of the Cus-
ter massacre on the Little Big Horn in
July, 1876—has just retired on a pen-
sion and is planning to spend the rest
of his days in Oklahoma on his Kay
county farm, where he will raise chick-
ens, pigs and other domestic.

For seventeen years Carnahan was
at the frontier station of Bismarck and
when he left there it was for Missoula,
Mont., where he lived for twenty-four
years. Previous to being stationed at
Bismarck he was at La Crosse, Wis.,
and so after fifty years as an opera-
tor Carnahan will draw a pension, and
Oklahoma will have within its bound-
aries another veteran who helped
make the history of the early days of
the Indian west.

The Bismarck garrison, including
many friends of Carnahan, was in the
Custer expedition. The operator and
the post surgeon rode out from the post
with the expedition when it started in
June, 1876, to punish the Sioux Indi-
ans. They went twelve miles with the
Seventh cavalry and then returned
with the last dispatch General Custer
ever sent. It was addressed to Presi-
dent Grant and told of the plans for
the expedition.

On the night of July 5 the steamer
Far West came down the river and
tied up at Bismarck when most people
were in bed. The Far West brought
the wounded from Reno's command
and the official dispatches which told
of the complete annihilation of Cus-
ter's outfit.

Flashed Word of Massacre.

Carnahan was called from his bed
and found on his desk in the telegraph
office a carpetbag full of official re-
ports of the fight and its results. He
sized up the job, and his first wire ac-
tion was to flash the word east that
the massacre had occurred. Then he
settled down to the transmission of
the official story to the department of
war at Washington. For twenty-one
hours he did not leave the key. Coffee
and sandwiches were handed him now
and then during the long shift, and a
wet towel was kept on his forehead.
With the reports finished he fell into
bed and for three hours slept the sleep
of exhaustion; then he got up and re-
turned to the key.

For two days the eastern papers had
been clamoring for detailed news of
the massacre, but Carnahan could not
leave his official work, and until now
there was no one to send it. He started
in, however, and sent all he could
find out to New York, Chicago and St.
Paul papers. He sent as much story
as he had strength to get and prepare,
and that was the way the details of
the disaster were sent out.

Carnahan had sent 80,000 words in
the two shifts, and the receipts of his
office in those two days were \$3,000.

As fast as they could arrive special
correspondents hurried to Bismarck to
get the intimate details of the big story.
O'Kelly, a New York man, was the first
big one on the ground, and Carnahan
sent for twelve hours more on his shift.
There were 22,000 words, and the toll
on the special dispatch was \$1,320.
O'Kelly gave Carnahan \$50 for his ex-
tra work, and the veteran operator still
has that \$50 bill.

Carnahan is the man who handled
the official correspondence between
President Grant and General Custer
which preceded the Little Big Horn
expedition and which has always been
supposed to have caused the resent-
ment which drove Custer to reckless-
ness on the fatal ride. But that is a
story Carnahan has never told.

During the fifty-three years at the
telegraph key many thrilling stories
have passed through his hands, espe-
cially during the early days of his ca-
reer, when he was on the border be-
tween the north and south during the
civil war.

BIRD SCAES PEACH MEN.

Sparrow-like Visitor Has Jersey Grow-
ers Up In Arms.

The perennial rumor that the peach
crop is about to be destroyed cropped
up in Egg Harbor, N. J., when employ-
ees in the large orchards of Charles F.
Stuckel discovered a small, reddish
brown bird on the trees.

With its small, stout, broad bill the
bird, which is about the size of a spar-
row, was attacking the buds ferociously,
much in the manner in which a wood-
pecker works its way in search of
worms. According to the Stuckel folk,
this particular bird has a capacity of
about 6,000 buds an hour.

Several of the birds were shot and
sent to the state agricultural experi-
ment station at New Brunswick to de-
termine whether they are protected by
law. Meanwhile the farmers are tak-
ing down their shotguns to save their
peach crop.

The Poetry of Woman.

Man is like disconnected and un-
couched prose, without harmony or
beauty. That is why poets have al-
ways compared women with song, po-
etry, flower and river, but have never

"YOU QUIT KIDDIN'," SAYS GIRL TO PRESIDENT.

Miss Mary Tumulty, eldest
daughter of the president's sec-
retary, was thirteen years old
March 25. That night the Tu-
multy telephone rang, and Miss
Mary was called. When she said
"Hello!" a voice on the other end
of the wire replied:

"This is President Wilson. I
want to congratulate you on your
birthday."

"You quit kiddin'," said Miss
Mary. "You can't fool me."

"Why, this is the president,"
the voice replied. "I trust you
do not object to me calling you
on the phone. I merely wanted
to congratulate you."

Mr. Tumulty appeared and im-
mediately assured his daughter
she was not being "kidded," but
was really talking with the pres-
ident of the United States, and
then Miss Mary dropped the re-
ceiver, trembling.

MINE SWEEPERS SHOW CONTEMPT FOR PERIL

Linked Trawlers Dare Winter Gales to
Clear the North Sea.

A young American who recently sig-
ned for service as a member of the crew
of a mine sweeper sends the following
account of one of his trips out into the
North sea:

"Order—You proceed at once to —
and will sweep the area marked on the
accompanying chart." This was the
order which sent us hammering into
the head seas of a lively wind on a
bitterly cold Sunday morning at 4
o'clock. It takes a tight vessel to
survive the welter and another which
rise so quickly in these waters. In the
winter months, especially, the work
goes on amid conditions of great sever-
ity, and our ships frequently keep the
sea as mine sweepers when as trawlers
they would flee to the shelter of their
harbors.

"Our ship is one of the best of her
stanch type, and she reeled along won-
derfully on that Sunday morning.
Somewhere in the darkness to star-
board there showed through the whir-
ling snow the lights of another vessel
running on the same course as our-
selves, and at the same speed. The
dawn came up and showed her to be
kin to us and the signals at once made
clear that in her we beheld our sweep-
ing partner. There arises a curious
respect for her. She must know quite
well that at any moment her plunging
bows may meet a mine and then there
would be a vacancy at her end of the
drug tackle and vacancies in little cot-
tages in the isles.

"Fifteen hours of drenching and buf-
feting were our portion that day. The
vessel, with the pull of the tackle and
the drive of her engines keeping her
down like a half tide rock, was never
clear of the sweeping sea. Thud, slap,
crash, swish, they came over her bow,
and swirled along the deck, never ceas-
ing their constant assault.

"When the snow passed there was a
glimpse of sun. Then the wind backed
against the sun and came down on us
in wild gusts, icy cold. As the after-
noon wore on the cold increased, and
just before midnight came a strange
jull which let in biting frost. The
hardy fellows on board were stiff and
numb before the day was done, and
when the gear was shipped and shipped
nobody was sorry.

"The disposal of the mines recovered
depends upon their character and the
circumstances of their recovery. Fre-
quently our gunners explode them by
firing into them from the deck."

VETERAN TIRED OF WAR.

It's No Profession For Gentlemen, De-
clares Major Johnson.

Major C. Page Johnson, a retired of-
ficer of the United States army and a
veteran of Indian and the Spanish-
American war, who returned from Eu-
rope on the Holland-American liner
Nieuw Amsterdam, said that the war
was such awful slaughter on both sides
that the government at Washington
ought to take steps to stop it for the
cause of humanity.

"Once war was a profession for gen-
tlemen," the major said, "but now it is
not a profession, but a business for
slaughterers. Along the battle front
3,000,000 men have been drawn up fac-
ing each other since the fall and will
remain under the severe tension until
May. Murderous machines are dealing
death to thousands daily of both ar-
mies in the field. Germany is formula-
ing in the faith of her people that her
cause is just. Her women are brave
and show wonderful spirit. It is diffi-
cult to foretell what the end of the con-
flict will be."

POPULATION OF BERLIN.

Said to Have Dropped Below the
2,000,000 Mark.

In consequence of the war the popu-
lation of Berlin (exclusive of the subur-
ban towns) has again dropped below
2,000,000 mark, which it had crossed
several years ago. The population at
the beginning of January was returned
at 1,982,154, which signifies a loss of
57,000 for the year.

This loss, however, does not take ac-
count of the men who have gone into
the war, who are still counted as if
present; it seems to be due mostly to
the removal of working people to the
suburbs and to more distant districts.

thought of comparing man with any
of these. Woman, like most beauti-
ful things in nature, is connected, well-
developed and well restrained.—The
Craftsman.

WRITER FORETOLD TITANIC DISASTER

Morgan Robertson Vividly De-
scribed Wreck of the Titan.

MADE A DEEP IMPRESSION.

Many Anecdotes of Famous Author of
Sea Stories—Began and Finished in
One Night His First Effort, "The De-
struction of the Unfit." Writing on a
Washtub Until Dawn.

Morgan Robertson, one of the fore-
most writers of sea stories, who died
suddenly in his hotel room in Atlantic
City, proved that he was a prophet as
well as a teller of tales. In 1898 he
wrote "Futility," in which he vividly
described the wreck of the Titan, the
largest and finest steamer ever con-
structed, the wreck being caused by an
iceberg in the vicinity of the Titanic
catastrophe. When the Titanic went
down, just fifteen years after the book
had been written, the similarity of
names in the imaginary book and the
locality where the ship hit the iceberg
made a profound impression. Mr. Ro-
bertson followed the sea for many years
before he took up literature.

Illustrating the impossibility of one
man knowing all there is to know, Ro-
bertson told this story:

"I used to sail with a skipper who
was a good seaman, but he was what
you might call all at sea when he was
on land. He was driving one day
along a country road in England when
he came to a signpost. An index finger
pointed in the direction from which the
skipper had come, and the inscription
on it read, 'Selkirk, 12 miles.'"

"Now, Selkirk was the town for
which the skipper was bound. He did
not want to turn around, so he climbed
the post, tore the sign loose and nailed
it to a post on the other side of the
road, so the hand pointed in the direc-
tion he was going. Then he climbed
back into the buggy and drove on."

"I admire a liar," Robertson used to
say, "even when his prevarications
strain my credulity. A friend of mine,
who objects to efforts to pry into his
personal affairs, recently limped into
my workshop."

"What's the matter with your foot?
I asked, more to be polite than because
I cared what was the trouble.
"Then he gained my everlasting ad-
miration by a display of nerve and
maneuvering I never saw equaled. 'An
eel stepped on it,' he said."

Gets Clippings on "Ghosts."

Robertson used to delight in telling
this story:

"Sometime ago I gave an order to a
concern which furnished newspaper
clippings, telling the manager that I
wanted ghost stories. I undertook to
explain that what I wanted was fiction
that dealt with spirits and spooks, and
the clipping man said he understood
and would fix me all right.

"In a few days I began receiving
clippings about ghosts. One of the
clippings was taken from a country paper
in Pennsylvania and it said that a
rival sheet had 'given up the ghost.'
Another clipping, taken from a Louisi-
ana paper, was a pert paragraph from
some other paper regarding Bryan and
the Democracy, over which was the
caption, 'Hamlet Without the Ghost.'"

"Another clipping referred to the pro-
duction of Ibsen's 'Ghost' in London,
while the fourth was an editorial para-
graph from a North Carolina paper in
which a political convention was re-
ferred to as a 'ghost dance.' I never
realized before that there were so
many kinds of ghosts."

In 1898 while he was in New York a
friend handed Robertson one of Rud-
yard Kipling's sea stories and told him
to read it. He did and that night he
began and finished his first short story,
writing on a washtub until dawn. He
called it "The Destruction of the Un-
fit." After a long delay it was accept-
ed by a magazine which paid \$25 for it.
During the year that followed Mr.
Robertson wrote and sold about twenty
short stories of the sea. Since then
not a year and perhaps not a month
passed in which one or more of his
sea pieces did not appear.

SAW WAR MAIMED TRADED.

Mrs. Maugan Says Limbs of Prisoners
Were Matched.

Mrs. May E. Maugan, fashion buyer,
arrived on the Arabia after having
spent six weeks in Paris and paid a
high tribute to the women of the
French capital. She saw the first ex-
change of prisoners that took place at
Boulogne.

"The women of Paris are wonderful,"
she said. "They have taken hold of
the city and seem to be running it.
You find them everywhere, on the tram
cars, managing the shops, delivering
the mail and filling thousands of pos-
itions hitherto occupied by the men
who are now at the front. They are
sad, though, and I have seen many
of them crying. Yet they are brave
and steadfast and make no protest
against the war."

"I saw the first exchange of pris-
oners at Boulogne. The English and
French were all crippled. Some had
lost arms, others legs and one or two
both legs. The exchange was based
on the loss of limbs. For example, a
German with an arm gone would be
exchanged for an Englishman or
Frenchman in the same condition."

Daily Thought.

If you censure your friend for every
fault he commits there will come a
time when you will have no friend to
censure.—Arabian Proverb.

Shot Down in Club.

Boston, March 30.—James McDon-
ald and William Gaylord were shot in
the Cosmopolitan club, Roxbury, by
three men who are believed to be
from New York. Their injuries are
not serious. The gunmen escaped.
The strangers obtained admission to
the club in some way as yet unex-
plained, and taking seats at a table,
joined in conversation with others in
the room. An argument started, and,
according to the police, the three
strangers suddenly arose and, draw-
ing revolvers, began to shoot.

Dutch Steamship Strikes Mine.

London, March 30.—The admiralty
announced that the Dutch steamship
Amstel struck a mine.

Points on Buying Meats.

When buying beef see that it is pur-
plish when first cut and becomes bright
red and moist. It should be firm and
elastic to touch and the fat of a light
creamy color, never really yellow. Veal
should have a light pink flesh, with
plenty of white fat. The bones should
be small and the breastbone soft and
red. Veal does not keep as well as
other meat. Mutton and lamb should
have finely grained firm flesh, with
clear white fat. In the mature animal
the flesh is a dull red; in the lamb it is
a delicate pink. Good pork has a close-
ly grained, smooth flesh, firm and
bright, with solid white fat and thin
skin free from wrinkles or spots.

Planked Steak.

Wipe the steak and just sear it in a
hot pan. Then put on the plank and
finish the cooking in the oven. A sir-
loin steak an inch thick will take about
twelve minutes to cook. After it has
been about six minutes in the oven take
it out and arrange mashed potatoes all
around, then return to the oven for six
more, so as to have the potatoes nicely
browned. When finished place the
plank on a large platter and garnish
with parsley and sliced lemon. The
planks are made of oak.

Bean Croquettes.

Two cupfuls of cooked beans, baked
or boiled; two tablespoonfuls of butter
three cupfuls of corn flakes, three ta-
blespoonfuls of tomato, one teaspoon-
ful of salt. Form into croquettes, bake
in hot oven and serve with the follow-
ing white sauce: One cupful of milk,
two tablespoonfuls of flour, two table-
spoonfuls of butter. Cook together,
stirring until smooth and thick.

Salmon Loaf.

Mix the contents of a can of salmon,
half a cupful of cracker crumbs, a
beaten egg, half a cupful of milk and
pepper and salt to taste; steam in a
mold for an hour and serve hot with
white or drawn butter sauce to which
a beaten egg is added just before the
sauce is taken from the fire.

By Internal Evidence.

"Where do you suppose we got the
saying, 'He laughs best who laughs
last'?" asked Mrs. Binks of her hus-
band.

"Probably some Englishman first said
it," replied Mr. Binks. "He was doubt-
less trying to set a national failing in a
favorable light."—Youth's Companion.

Food For Gossip.

"Where are you going?"
"To call on Mrs. Wallaby-Wombat.
Better come along. I understand there
are some very interesting things to be
heard."
"How so?"
"She has just quarreled with her best
friend."—Pittsburgh Post.

GETTYSBURG MARKETS

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouse
corrected daily by C. Milton Wolf, Jr.,
Successor to J. Geo. Wolf & Sons Co.
Pa. N.

Wheat \$1.45
Ear Corn85
Rye70
Oats58

RETAIL PRICES.

Hand Packed Bran Per 100
Coarse Spring Bran 1.50
Corn and Oats Chops 1.45
Shomaker Stock Food 1.60
White Middlings 1.75
Cotton Seed Meal 1.70
Red Middlings 1.50
Baled Straw65
Timothy Hay 9
Plaster \$7.50 per ton
Cement \$1.25 per bbl.

Flour \$7.20
Western Flour \$8.00

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Wheat \$1.60
Corn95
Shelled Corn95
Western Oats65
Badger Dairy feed \$1.50
New Oxford Dairy feed \$1.35

Medical Advertising

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Dr. James' Headache Powders re-
lieve at once—10 cents a
package.

You take a Dr. James' Headache
powder and in just a few moments
your head clears and all neuralgia and
migraine vanishes. It's the quickest
and surest relief for headache, whether
dull, throbbing, splitting or nerve-
racking. Send someone to the drug
store and get a dime package now.
Quit suffering—it's so needless. Be
sure you get Dr. James' Headache
Powders—then there will be no disap-
pointment.

Medical Advertising

AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray,
Faded Hair Dark and
Glossy.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea
and Sulphur, properly compounded,
bring back the natural color and lustre
to the hair when faded, streaked or gray;
also ends dandruff, itching scalp and
stops falling hair. Years ago the only
way to get this mixture was to make it
at home, which is messy and trouble-
some.

Nowadays we simply ask at any drug
store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur
Hair Remedy." You will get a large
bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody
uses this old, famous recipe, because no
one can possibly tell that you darkened
your hair, as it does it so naturally and
evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft
brush with it and draw this through
your hair, taking one small strand at a
time; by morning the gray hair disap-
pears, and after another application or
two, your hair becomes beautiful dark-
thick and glossy and you look years
younger.

NEVER have styles been so
snappy; designs and color
effects so full of vigor as you will
find them in the new line for
Spring and Summer.

Order your Suit now and we will have it
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J. D. LIPPY,
Tailor.

The Easter Store for Women and Children

NEW EASTER SUITS, COATS and DRESSES

Special for This Week Only

\$12.50	SUITS	\$9.50
\$15.00	"	10.50

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Spring Coats at \$5.00, 7.98, 10.00

Select Your Easter Dress Now

We have a very big assortment of white embroidery dresses
of voile, lawn, batiste, organdies, etc. in the bolero and coatee
styles, with the flared skirt. Silk poplin, crepe-de-chine and
French serges to choose from also. Prices range from \$3.50 to
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Confirmation Dresses \$2.98

The prettiest and daintiest white dresses
you ever saw at this price; of batiste and
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Other white dresses 98c up

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12 of the newest models to
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In voile, organdie and batiste.

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ren, sizes 2 to 6, 49c, 98c,
\$1.49, \$1.98.

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FOR SATURDAY ONLY

\$2.50 Crepe-de-Chine and
Jap Silk Blouses

\$1.98

New models shown in two-in-one col-
lar styles in white, black, flesh and maize.

BEAUTIFUL, DISTINCTIVE EASTER MILLINERY

In matchless variety ready for your choosing at
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TRIMMED HATS

\$1.98, \$2.50 \$2.98 \$3.50 \$3.98

The greatest display of Millinery ever shown in this
town, at about one-half less than you pay elsewhere.

Give us a call and you will be convinced.

HATS TRIMMED FREE!

Nobby Misses and Children's Hats

.98 \$1.49 \$1.98

Bring the Children here for their Easter Hats.

You will be surprised at our low prices for so dainty an assort-
ment of all that is latest in shapes and colorings.

Agents for Warner's Rust Proof Corsets.

The Hub Underselling Store

"THE LADIE'S SHOP"

The Scrap Book

The Score.
Brown was an enthusiastic golfer. When he wasn't playing golf he was talking golf, and between those intervals he happily dreamed of putts and drives. One day Brown ran across an elderly preacher from his boyhood town.

"By the way, Mr. James," said he, after many reminiscences had been exchanged, "I must ask you about those three old maid sisters who used to live on the main street. I supposed they never left Milltown."

"Opheelia and Thelma went to heaven about two years ago," answered the jargon impressively, "but Lucy is still in Milltown."

"I see," musingly rejoined the golf enthusiast, "two up and one to go."—*Ex-hange.*

Quiet Work.
One lesson, nature, let me learn of thee; One lesson which in every wind is blown, The lesson of two duties kept at one. Though the loud world proclaim their enmity—

Of toil recovered from tranquillity; Of labor that in lasting fruit outgrows Far noisier schemes, accomplished in repose, Too great for haste, too high for rivalry!

Yes, while on earth a thousand discords ring, Man's fitful up-and-down mingling with his toil, Will do thy sleepless ministers moving on, Their glories tasks in silence performing; Still working, planning still our vain turmoil, Laborers that shall not wait when man is gone.

—Matthew Arnold.

Basis For Exchange.
He had a drove of dispirited steeds and paused to give them a much needed rest. The storekeeper came out and looked them over casually.

"Want a horse?"

"Guess not."

"I'll take it out to goods," said the stranger. "I'll take it out in tobacco, in fact."

"I'll do some business along those lines," responded the storekeeper, "if we kin agree on a basis."

"What's your basis?"

"Well, I'll trade with you, plug for plug."—*Judge.*

Taylor's Offer.
Few laymen are able to appreciate the mental strain upon the editors of periodicals involved in the examination of the flood of manuscripts that pours in upon them. Even though a majority of the offerings merit only a cursory inspection, all of them must be looked at lest a nugget be concealed in the mass.

It is perhaps fortunate for the peace of mind of all concerned that most manuscripts are submitted and returned by mail so that the personal equation does not enter into the matter, but while Bert Leston Taylor was editor of Judge a lantern jawed specimen from the Jersey wilds managed to evade all the outer guards and work his way into the sanctum. Once in the presence he laid upon the desk a finger printed slip of paper on which he had written his prize joke.

It was near the close of a hard day, and "B. L. T." was approaching brain fag after wading through hand made humor in prose and verse since breakfast time. He glanced at the Bertillon exhibit and then at its alleged author.

"What's the idea?" he demanded.

"What'll you gimme for that?" his caller asked.

"Well, I'll be generous," Taylor returned. "I'll give you five yards' start."

—Lippincott's.

Enjoyment In Store.

Nat Goodwin in his book tells this story on himself:

"The first night of my production of 'Nathan Hale' Hoyt had assured me of his intention of being present with his wife. But when the time came she refused to accompany him. Charley, having purchased two tickets and not desiring to be alone, sought some one to go with him. He soon found a friend and invited him to come along. Much to Hoyt's astonishment, his friend quietly but firmly refused the invitation. 'Why not?' asked Hoyt. His friend replied, 'I don't like Goodwin.' 'Well,' said Charley, 'you like him as an artist, don't you?' His friend replied, 'No, I don't like him, on or off the stage.' 'Well,' said Hoyt, 'come along. You are sure to enjoy this play, for they hang Nat in the last act.'"

Its Drawbacks.

An American who spends much of his time in London tells of an auctioneer there who in addition to a fine personal appearance and splendid elocutionary talents possessed considerable culture and knowledge of human nature.

At a book sale this gentleman would read with exquisite taste passages from the books he was selling, with brief biographies and criticisms of their authors, reciting hexameters from Greek and Roman classics and rendering passages from humorous writers with a touch and air so ludicrous as to set the room in a roar of laughter. Thus he often won higher prices for books than those got at the shops.

An amusing example of his cleverness in extolling an estate is the language with which he once closed a highly colored description of the property he was selling. For a few moments he paused and then said:

"And now, gentlemen, having given a truthful description of this magnificent estate andor compels me to admit that it has two drawbacks. The first of the rose leaves and the noise of the nightingales."—*Harper's Magazine.*

Proper Light Important.

Light is of first importance to the reader. In the daytime the light should come over the shoulder from the side or from the back and the reader should sit in such a position

POPULAR MECHANICS

Protective Coating For Steel.

One of the best and simplest methods of producing a protective black coating is of rather recent origin and is known as Coslettizing, from the name of the discoverer, Coslett. In this process the parts are first cleaned by pickling or sand blasting, then immersed in a boiling water solution of phosphoric acid in which iron or zinc filings are placed. They are left in this for a period varying from one-half hour to three hours, depending on the nature of the work or the thickness of the coating desired. A very slight amount of the surface of the article treated is converted into certain phosphates of iron, but most of the coating comes from the solution itself. One advantage of this method is that it can be applied to small and delicate parts, tempered pieces, edged tools and so on. Typewriter manufacturers and others who are using it claim that it retards corrosion to a remarkable degree, especially on articles which are in use in the tropics and other places where unobtainable good protection is required.—*Engineering Magazine.*

Restoring Fatigued Muscles.

A very ingenious physiological method of increasing the yield of labor from any given group of muscles is described in an abstract in Die Umschau, the author, Th. Weber, claims that in practice a gain of from 22 to 40 per cent is obtainable in the amount of work done. The device is extremely simple. When the given group of muscles has reached the point of exhaustion due to the accumulation of the products of fatigue they are allowed to rest, while an entirely different muscle group is set to work vigorously. The energetic contraction of these muscles causes an increase in heart action and circulation, and the strengthened current of blood thus sent to all parts of the body partially restores the working power of the first group of muscles by carrying away fatigue toxins and supplying oxygen.

Wire Gauge on Knife.

Electricians and workmen in some of the other industries making use of wire are compelled to make frequent use of a gauge in order to determine accurately the size of the strand of metal. There are so many sizes and so little difference between these that it is impossible to rely on the eye for such data. There are several plates and other devices for this purpose, but here is a gauge indicator built into the pocket knife, thus combining two implements and saving space in the tool box or the workman's pocket. The device is quite simple and accurate. There is



GAUGING SIZE OF WIRE.

a series of notches on the handle, each one being numbered, and in order to determine the diameter of a piece of wire it is slipped into one of the holes after the blades at either end have been opened at right angles with the handle. The smaller blade is then brought down over the wire, when its point will rest over a scale, also numbered. When the wire is in the No. 4 notch and the knife blade also points to No. 4 in the big blade it proves conclusively that the wire being tested is No. 4 gauge. If the numbers do not agree the sample must be tried in another notch.

Steel or Iron Wheel Tires.

It has been found that when the wagon runs over soft roads there is no difference in the wear of steel and iron tires. If they wear they will both wear alike. The same holds good on wood pavement or other good, smooth roads. But the comparison is shown quickly when run on stone pavement. In this case the steel tires will outlast the iron tires every time. Some years ago a western concern wanted to know the results of the wear of steel and iron tires and tried it on their own delivery wagon with results as stated. As a matter of fact and from a carriage and wagon builder's experience, it stands to reason the harder the tires the longer they will wear, but steel tires when introduced were objected to because they were difficult to weld and in cold weather would burst.

Removing Odors From Milk.

Recent investigations in the dairy division of the United States bureau of animal industry have proved that the flavor of milk may be entirely removed from milk by blowing air through it while it is held at a temperature of at least 140 degrees F. An exposure of thirty minutes at 145 degrees is sufficient to free milk from the most objectionable flavor. A somewhat longer exposure is necessary for cream.

Braking the Car.

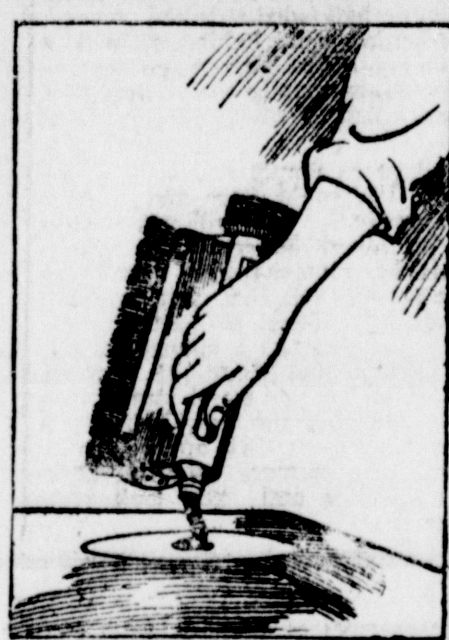
Brakes should not be so tightly adjusted that it is easy to slide the drive wheels. Of course, it may stop the car quickly, but the tire threads will suffer great destructive wear.

Smallest Street Car.

Porto Rico possesses what is said to be the smallest street car in operation. It is horse-drawn, and has accommodation for only three passengers.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR HOUSEWIVES

Combined Stove Brush and Blacking Container.



A combined stove brush and blacking magazine relieves the task of blacking the stove of much if not all of the mess and soil which it has heretofore been accompanied with. The blacking, in the form of a solution, is contained in a reservoir which is attached to the back of the brush, occupying a position along its length, where it also acts as a convenient handle to be grasped by the operator. After the desired quantity of blacking has been freed on the stove top it is distributed by means of a duster, which is affixed to one end of the combination.

Household Hints.

When poaching eggs always put a little vinegar in the water.

Oranges and lemons keep well if hung in a wire net in a cool, airy place.

If currants are dried in flour after having been washed they will not sink to the bottom of a cake.

If when chopping suet you add a little ground rice to it, it will not stick to the chopper, but can be minced easily.

Clean white enameled woodwork with whitening on a moist cloth.

Every room in the house should be thoroughly aired once a day.

Buying Kitchenware.

Avoid buying ware which has "seams," cracks and joints where food particles can accumulate. They are harder to wash and likely to become insanitary sooner. A sauceman place a "lip" on two sides. One piece straight handles are better than the "ball" kind, which becomes hot as it hangs to the side of the pot. Never be tempted into the supposed economy of buying "seconds" in kitchenware. There is always some weak spot, some uncoated place or a "bubble" where the surface is weak.

Omelet, Southern Style.

Separate the whites and yolks of three eggs, beat the whites stiff and dry, beat the yolks until light, then beat into them eight teaspoonfuls of thick white sauce and a speck of cayenne and salt. Fold this into the beaten whites. Fold in six tablespoonfuls of ground baked ham and turn into a hot buttered baking dish. Bake until firm. Take care not to overbake or it will be dry. Sprinkle ground ham around the edge of the dish, stick a spray of parsley in the center and serve immediately.

Beaten Biscuit.

Add a tablespoonful of salt and a tablespoonful of butter to a quart of flour. Rub them together, then add a cupful of milk and, if necessary, a little water to make a stiff dough. Place the dough on a firm table or block and beat with a mallet or rolling pin for fully half an hour, or until it becomes brittle. Spread in half an inch thick, cut into small circles and prick each one with a fork. Bake in a hot oven for twenty minutes.

Chicken Pie.

Line sides of a baking dish with a biscuit dough. Cook chicken until tender, season with salt and pepper and a little sage if desired. Put meat into dish lined with the dough, pour in a part of the gravy and cover dish with biscuit dough. Cut a hole the size of a dollar in the cover, and cover this with a piece of dough. While baking remove this piece often to examine interior. If pie is dry put in more chicken gravy.

Fresh Fish Balls.

With a silver fork pick some remnants of cooked fish and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Pass through a vegetable ricer a few hot boiled potatoes; to these add a little fish stock or sauce or cream, also salt, pepper, and beat as for mashed potatoes. To the fish add just enough of the hot potato to hold the fish together. Shape into balls, roll in crumbs and egg, then in fine crumbs, and fry in deep fat.

Cleaning Windows.

The easiest way to wash windows during cold weather is to wipe them with a soft cloth or sponge which has been dipped in kerosene; then in a few minutes go over them with tissue paper or soft newspaper and rub off most of the oil and dirt, after which with fresh water give them a good polishing. They will soon be clear and bright.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

FOR THE SPRING BREAKFAST.

BREAKFAST MENU.
Stewed Apricots.
Cereal.
Whole Wheat Griddlecakes.
Broiled Tripe.
Maple Biscuits.
Coffee.

Whole Wheat Griddlecakes.

MATERIALS.—Three cupfuls whole wheat flour, one cupful bread flour, two cupfuls milk, three teaspoonfuls baking powder, one-half teaspoonful salt, one egg.

Directions.—Beat egg light, add milk, then the baking powder and salt mixed with meal and flour. Cook as usual, but if possible use an aluminum grid die, which needs no grease.

Maple Biscuits.

Materials.—Three cupfuls bread flour, six teaspoonfuls baking powder, one tablespoonful sugar, three tablespoonfuls butter or oleomargarine, one-half teaspoonful salt, about one cupful milk, melted butter, scraped maple sugar.

Directions.—Mix and sift together dry ingredients; work in shortening with finger tips, keeping mixture coarse, and moisten with milk. Turn on to a floured board, pat to one-fourth inch thickness and cut in small rounds. Brush the latter with melted butter and sprinkle half of them with maple sugar. Set balance of rounds on these, butter sides together, and bake in a quick oven.

Broiled Tripe.

Cut pickled tripe in suitable pieces for serving, wash it and simmer twenty minutes in water to cover. Drain, wipe dry, sprinkle with salt and pepper, brush over with melted sausage or bacon fat, dust with dried bread-crumbs and broil about seven minutes. Serve with cream or tomato sauce.

Anna Thompson

Game of Flying.

To play this game well it is necessary that there should be a good talker in the company, who will find opportunity for his gift of eloquence. Simple as the game may appear to be, it is usually quite a success.

Each one in the party wishing to take part must place the right hand upon the left arm. The leader then tells his friends that in the story he intends to tell them, whenever he mentions a creature that can fly, every right hand is to be raised and fluttered in the air in imitation of flying of a bird. At the mention of all animals that cannot fly the hands are not to move. Of course the leader will do his best to trap them into raising the hands when other animals than flying ones are mentioned, in order to collect a good number of forfeits. All be in readiness, he will begin in a style something like this:

"One lovely morning in June I sailed out to take the air. The honeysuckle and roses were shedding a delightful perfume, the 'butterflies' and bees were flitting from flower to flower, the 'cuckoo's' note resounded through the groves, and the 'lark's' sweet trill was heard overhead; even the 'wren's' trill was heard; indeed, that 'all the birds of the air' there all hands must be raised, were vying with each other as to whose song should be the loudest and the sweetest, when," etc.

Thus the game is carried on until as many forfeits as seem desirable are collected. It is advisable to change the speaker with every third or fourth forfeit, in order to vary the story.

The "Fat Man" Trick.

How many of the readers of this paper have seen the "fat man" trick in a pantomime and wondered how it was done? One of the characters in the pantomime sits at a table and ravenously eats dish after dish of food that a servant brings to him. Presently the man, who, like most ravenous eaters, was rather thin and scrawny, begins to grow plump. His clothes fit him snugly. His waistcoat steadily swells out under the very eyes of the audience. All the while he is eating like a sausage machine. In a few minutes he has grown to be a giant eight or nine feet tall and with the proportions of an inflated balloon. How is it done? To begin with, of course the food is not real food. It is ingeniously made of tissue paper—joints, vegetables, fowls and even the bread—and the actor chews it up into little pellets while using his napkin. His clothes are all of rubber and made to fit air tight around the wrists and neck. In sitting down he puts the heel of one boot over a little trap in the stage. An assistant below immediately couples a tube running from a bellows to a hole in the boot heel. Then he blows him up. By the time the suit has grown so big that there is danger of bursting the wind supply is cut off and the boot heel is plugged up. Then by an ingenious arrangement of springs under the actor's feet the height is acquired.

Concerning the Cipher.

How strange it would seem to be without a cipher in our notation, yet there was a time when this useful sign was wanting. The Roman system had no zero, nor did the Arabic, until the year 813. It was not until the fifteenth century that the Arabic numerals came into general use in Europe, and, like all innovations, it was resisted. Another strange thing is that while the 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9 and 0 are about the same now as in the thirteenth century, the 2 and 4 have undergone great changes. The 2 looked like a crooked 7, the 7 like an inverted 4, and the 4 somewhat resembled the 5.

Medical Advertising

SAFE WAY TO STOP INDIGESTION

The greatest folly of to-day is committed by people with weak, dyspeptic stomachs, who take artificial diet to cure indigestion.

Your stomach must itself be strong enough to expand and contract with sort of churning movement so as to mix its digestive juices with your food. If your stomach isn't strong enough to do this you will keep right on having indigestion and every artificial digester you use will make your stomach weaker.

There is one stomach remedy that every dyspeptic can depend on and that is the famous old MI-ONA Stomach Tablets. Most stomach remedies let the stomach rest and digest the food themselves. MI-ONA succeeds by strengthening and stimulating the stomach and making it do its own digesting. It stops stomach pains, gas, bloating, burning, belching, etc., in minutes and does still better by making the flabby, inflamed and inactive stomach walls grow strong and elastic and able to do their own churning. MI-ONA Tablets never lose their effect and unlike mere artificial digesters, need not be used forever. A few weeks use is generally sufficient to put any stomach in one shape and The People's Drug Store and many other leading druggists everywhere sell it with that understanding, agreeing to refund money to anyone who does not get complete relief.

PUBLIC SALE

ON FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1915.
The undersigned will sell at Public Sale at his residence in Straban township on the farm known as the Wagner Farm on the road leading from Hunterstown to New Oxford, 1 1/2 miles from the former and 4 miles from the latter, the following:

FIVE HEAD OF HORSES

No. 1, a mare 4 years old, with foal, work anywhere hitched, a good driver and fearless of all road objects, No. 2, a 3 year old, very dark brown, heavy draft, good broke, a boy 11 years old worked him anywhere last summer, No. 3, a 3 year old, a red roan, standard bred, worked single and double, a pretty fair saddle and shows some speed, No. 4, a dark roan percheron 2 years old, his colt is a good, big, heavy boned, one that will make a horse that will weigh 1600 or 1700 pounds, nice and gentle, No. 5, is a heavy blocky yearling, bred from Joseph Twining's imported horse, and from as good a work mare as anybody has. These colts are straight, right and sound.

TWELVE HEAD OF CATTLE

Consisting of 6 milk cows, 2 carrying their fifth calves, will be fresh in the fall, 2 with their second calves in the fall, 1 to have second calf in the last of April, one cow will be fresh by time of sale, 4 heifers, 1 to be fresh in May, the other 3 are 9 months old, 1 stock bull, 9 months old, 1 young fat cow.

TWENTY FOUR HEAD OF BERSHIRE HOGS

3 boars, weighing about 125 lbs. apiece, these boars, anybody buying them, and wishing to have them registered, can do so, the balance are sows ranging from 40 to 125 lbs. some nice open gilts in the bunch.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, 10 months credit, further terms, the day of sale by

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The titles "colonel," "major," "cap-

Easy & Practical Home Dress Making Lessons

Prepared Especially For This Newspaper

by Pictorial Review

BLUE LINEN AND BLACK BRAID.

40-inch linen and 1 1/2 yard of 36-inch

lawn make the design.

"The box pleat at the front of the guimpe makes a simple decoration, and this is formed first by turning under the front edge at notches and taking up a tuck on line of double 'oo' perforations. Stitch both sides of box pleat 1/4 inch from folded edges, catching free edge in with tuck. Turn under front edge of left front 1 inch and then 2 inches for a hem. Center-front indicated by large 'O' perforations in right front. Tuck front, creasing on slot perforations; stitch 1/4 inch from folded edges. Close under-arm seam as notched, close shoulder seam. Sew standing collar to

neck edge as notched. Sew round collar to neck edge, center-backs even and

along small 'o' perforations in front, bringing large 'O' perforations together. Stitch a casing 1/4 inch wide under guimpe, upper edge along small 'o' perforations; insert a drawstring.

The elbow sleeve is now closed, as notched, and the cuffs sewed in place on double 'oo' perforations, after which the sleeve is eased into the arm-hole without fullness. For the waist first close underarm seam as notched, close shoulder seam. Center-front indicated by large 'O' perforations. Gather lower edge between double 'TT' perforations.

The skirt is equally simple. Begin its construction by closing the back seam and turning hem at lower edge on double 'oo' perforations. Pleat creasing on slot perforations; bring folded edge near center-back to center and remaining folded edges to lines of small 'o' perforations; press pleats. Sew to lower edge of waist, centers even, large 'O' perforation at under-arm seam. Join front and back of pleum sections as notched. The front is indicated by large 'O' perforation. Turn hem on double 'oo' perforations. Arrange on skirt, centers even; stitch upper edges together.

If braiding is used it should be stitched on the waist before it is put to the

same material. Three yards is of

gutter.

Pictorial Review Dress No. 6124. (Sizes 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Price, 15 cents.

Braiding No. 11453; transfer, pattern, 15 cents.

Wedgehead blue linen frock with

black braid trim overblouse and guimpe

of plain lawn.

The overblouse idea is very popular

for junior fashions and will be frequently employed on frocks for growing girls during the spring and summer.

Wedgehead blue linen trimmed with

black soutache braid is a French combination in the development of this design. The double belt effect is particularly

chic. The guimpe may be of white or blue lawn, with collar and cuffs of the same material. Three yards is of

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DEATH GRAPPLE IN CARPATHIANS

Rest of Eastern Battle Front
Awaits Outcome.

AUSTRIANS FIGHTING HARD

Conflict Is Raging With Undiminished
Violence—Vienna Claims Russians
Have Been Halted.

London, March 31.—All other sections of the extended eastern battle front seem to be waiting the outcome of the death grapple in the Carpathian mountains. There the Austrians are stubbornly contesting every foot gained by the invaders.

A dispatch from Venice says: Dispatches to the Budapest papers say that the battle is raging with undiminished violence in the Uzsoz Pass and to the west.

The difficulties experienced by the troops because of the rough character of the ground and the weather conditions are said to be enormous. Although the weather is warmer, snow still lies on the ground to a depth of several feet, making the movements of the troops and the transport of munitions extremely difficult.

The Russians, the dispatches say, have concentrated greatly increased forces of troops in the Uzsoz Pass and, aided by continual reinforcements, maintain incessant attacks on the Austrian position. One correspondent says these attacks thus far have been repulsed successfully.

Advices from Vienna coming by way of Berlin and Amsterdam say: Dispatches from Austrian headquarters state that the Russian offensive through the Dukla Pass has been checked and that the Russians who forced their way through the Carpathians have been driven back.

Hard fighting is still in progress around Dukla, Lupko and Luzok passes, but it is officially asserted that the Austro-German forces are repelling all attacks. It was admitted that the situation south of Dukla Pass was critical for a time, but that the arrival of Austrian reinforcements there had turned the fighting to the advantage of the troops defending Hungary from attack.

German naval activity has been resumed in the Baltic sea and the Gulf of Bothnia, with the intention of carrying out a blockade campaign against the trade of Finland and Sweden, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Daily News. The correspondent declares that attacks on the Finnish coast probably are proposed also, as German submarines have been reported not far off shore.

A German fleet has been observed north of the Aland Islands. Several Danish and Swedish vessels are reported to have been halted by German submarines, but so far as known only one was fired upon, and she escaped unharmed.

FIFTEEN BAPTIZED IN CREEK

Undergo Immersion With Thermometer Below 20 Degrees.

Reading, Pa., March 31.—With a temperature below 20 degrees and a raw wind blowing through Millbach Valley, fifteen persons were baptized by immersion in the creek on the farm of Ephraim Erb, south of Richland, Lebanon county.

Rev. Michael Kurtz, of Richmond, conducted the service, with several hundred members of the Church of the Brethren, of the Tulpehocken district, present, besides a crowd of curious persons.

SWEET PEA OR MYRTLE

Two New Floral Candidates Seek Designation as State's Flower.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—A bill to designate the sweet pea or lathyrus odoratus as the official flower of Pennsylvania was introduced in the house by Mr. Brumbaugh, of Blair.

Mr. Brumbaugh said he favored the sweet pea because of its beauty and its popularity and the east with which it can be grown.

The bill to make the laurel the flower was vetoed by the governor, and a bill to designate the myrtle was presented.

Italy's Troops Cover the Tyrol. Geneva, March 31.—Italian military headquarters, it is reported here, has ordered several regiments stationed near the Swiss frontier, with bases at Como, Varese and Brescia, to move toward the Tyrolean frontier, where Austrian troops have been concentrating for the past fortnight.

Heavy German Loss in Alsace. Paris, March 31.—The Geneva correspondent of the Temps states that the Germans have lost 8000 in killed in Alsace since Feb. 18, when they launched an offensive movement in an effort to check the French advance. The German offensive, he adds, has collapsed.

Killed as He Ends Work. Allentown, Pa., March 31.—Making a mistake as he jumped from his locomotive after finishing work, Samuel Spoonly, an engineer on the Lehigh Valley railroad, was drawn under the wheels. He died on the way to the hospital.

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Escaped Austrian Air Bomb.



Photo by American Press Association.

CABLES SNAP; HALT RAISING OF THE F-4

Submarine, Waterlogged, Dragged Toward Shore.

Washington, March 31.—Efforts to raise the sunken United States submarine F-4 in Honolulu harbor were temporarily suspended after the two hawsers with which the boat was being dragged toward shore snapped.

The equipment of cable lines is said to be inadequate. The breaking of the lines is cited as evidence that the weight to be lifted cannot be borne by the cables in use. The broken lines are said to have been tested with eighty-four tons weight.

The vessel lies in forty-five fathoms (270 feet) of water, and her position is being held while preparations for raising her by pontoons are made.

Rear Admiral Moore reported from Honolulu that the submarine evidently was waterlogged and too heavy to be raised by the equipment employed by the searching fleet. This destroyed any faint hope that might have been left of finding any of the crew of twenty-one alive.

The submarine had been moved 300 feet toward shore by vessels with cables, according to a message received by Secretary Daniels from the commander of the first submarine division. The message gave no details.

NOW SHE ASKS DIVORCE

Son of Ex-U. S. Ambassador Is Made Defendant in Suit.

Philadelphia, March 31.—Mrs. Georgianna B. Tower, wife of Charlemagne Tower, Jr., instituted divorce proceedings against her husband.

Her present suit is the culmination of a previous suit against her father-in-law, Charlemagne Tower, former United States ambassador to Germany. She charged the ex-ambassador with alienating her husband's affections. Some time ago young Tower denied that the woman was his wife.

Bishop Dubs Dying.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 31.—Bishop Rudolph Dubs, of the United Evangelical church, is at the point of death at his home in Harrisburg. It is not expected that he will survive the day.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	37	Clear.
Atlantic City....	36	Cloudy.
Boston.....	36	Clear.
Buffalo.....	24	Cloudy.
Chicago.....	34	Clear.
New Orleans.....	72	Cloudy.
New York.....	33	Clear.
Philadelphia.....	36	Clear.
St. Louis.....	38	Clear.
Washington.....	40	Cloudy.

The Weather.
Snow tonight or tomorrow;
north winds.

WHEN REED RULED

And Raised a Row In Congress
by Counting a Quorum.

HOW THE QUESTION AROSE.

The Issue That Moved the "Czar" to Overturn Both Democratic and Republican Precedents and Put the House In an Uproar.

In his "Life of Thomas Brackett Reed," popularly known as "Czar" Reed, Samuel W. McCall relates how the great question of the quorum that was counted arose. The famous issue came up shortly after Reed's reelection as speaker in December, 1889. The Republicans had so narrow a majority that business would have been difficult even without the filibustering of the opposition.

On Jan. 29, 1890, Dabzell reported from the committee on elections an award of a contested seat to a Republican.

"Crises raised the question of consideration, and only 163 members responded, or two less than a quorum. Not merely was it beyond the power of the Republicans to produce a quorum at that time, but it appeared equally certain that they would not be able to produce one at any time during that congress.

"Reed had carefully planned to meet the emergency which had long seemed to him inevitable and had determined upon his course. But the element of doubt was whether his party associates in the house would sanction the radical course which he meditated. He was intending to overturn not merely Democratic precedents, but Republican precedents as well.

"Times almost without number the leaders of his own party had maintained that the constitutional quorum was to be determined by the roll call and not by the bodily presence of members. The position had never seriously been questioned that if a majority of the representatives failed to answer to their names on the calling of the roll there was no quorum present for the transaction of business, even if every member might actually be present in the hall of the house. * * *

"Instead of ordering the roll to be called again Reed calmly said: 'The chair directs the clerk to record the names of the following members present and refusing to vote.' He then proceeded to name a number of Democrats and among them Carlisle and other Democratic leaders who were present when their names were called and who refused from voting.

"At once the house was in an uproar. There was an explosion as violent as was ever witnessed in a legislative body. The speaker's recital of the names was interrupted by passionate remonstrance. His course was denounced as revolutionary. For a considerable time the tumult stopped the business of the house. Reed remained unruffled, and when the noise would for a moment subside he would add to his count of Democrats present and not voting.

"One member of much dignity, but not conspicuous for sense of humor, gravely arose with a book in his hand and said: 'I deny your right, Mr. Speaker, to count me as present, and I desire to read from the parliamentary law on that subject.' Reed raised a hearty laugh by coolly saying in reply and with his customary drawl: 'The chair is making a statement of fact that the gentleman from Kentucky is present. Does he deny it?'

"After the noise had subsided sufficiently for the speaker to make a connected statement he proceeded to state the question to the house: 'The chair treats this subject in orderly fashion and will submit his opinion to the house, which, if not acquiesced in by the house, can be overruled on an appeal taken from the decision.'

"He then proceeded to state his opinion in a few words. Referring to the constitutional power of the house to compel the attendance of absent members, he said: 'If members can be present and refuse to exercise their function—to wit, not be counted as a quorum—that provision would seem to be entirely nugatory. Inasmuch as the constitution only provides for their attendance, that attendance is enough. If more was needed the constitution would have provided for more.'

Disorder was renewed, but after a hot debate the ruling was sustained. Reed's party standing by him to a man, and the supreme court subsequently confirmed the point.

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WATCHMAN FOUND SLAIN

Discovered Lying on Pile of Burning Railroad Ties.

Pottsville, Pa., March 31.—Joseph Fletcher, watchman at the Park Place colliery, was found murdered and lying on a pile of burning railroad ties.

He had been killed by a blow on the head with a pick. His revolver, with five chambers empty, was found about 300 feet away. The discovery of the crime was made soon after its commission, as the body was not badly burned.

The Park Place colliery is owned by the Lehigh Valley Coal company, and is about four miles east of Mahanoy City. No motive is known. A large force of state police are hunting in the mountains for the murderer.

Puzzler.

The answer to each of the following riddles is the name of a city, country or state:

When you are in a foreign land,
You do the thing for which I stand.

For me you scarce need look around,
Oft in the frying pan I'm found.

But you will like me best, I fear,
When on the table I appear.

And this will be especially true
If you should feel the way I do.

Answers.—1. Rome; 2. Greece; 3. Turkey; 4. Hungary.

A Bear Postman.

The most curious letter carrier yet heard of seems to be one that covered a small route in far off Alaska some months ago—nothing less than a bear harnessed to a bicycle on which his master fastened the mail sack. Bruin hauled the load while his master steered the wheel, and so much interest was excited by this strange combination that the outfit was taken to England for exhibition purposes.—St. Nicholas.

To Tell a Cooked Egg.

To tell a cooked egg from a raw one without breaking the shell, twist the egg on a smooth surface, and if it spins around easily it is a boiled egg. A raw egg will not spin around.

Buried Mythological Celebrities.

(One in each line.)
That chronos must be put away;
Go, give them life's picture, pray,
While I expand or amplify.
So rich that Atean, Fate may try
To understand the Roman laws.
He'll do the best he can because
Myrtle and Ernest wrote with ease
Of Indian aborigines.
And what a scholar Gussie seems!
Answers.—Morpheus, Midas, Pandora, Atlanta, Hero, Thetis, Leander, Diana, Argus.

More to Be Feared.

"Don't you get tired of finding fault?"

"No," replied the patient man of responsibilities. "I suppose people have a right to discover faults. What I object to is the man who assumes that faults exist and never troubles himself to investigate."—Washington Star.

Early Horseless Carriage.

The archives of Antwerp show that in 1479 the communal treasurer was authorized by the magistrates of the town to pay a bonus of 24 livres d'artois to a man named Gilles de Doin as an appreciation of his gift to the city of a "carriage set in motion by mechanical means only."

Her Study.

Mrs. Bacon—How's your daughter getting on in her studies now?
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ON Easter morn
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every quickened ear
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the time of year.
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antiphon,
Blent with the organ's tone,
The voice of man in praise to
heaven is borne.

WITH April's fairest offerings we adorn
Our altars, emblemizing
eternal spring
O'er winter triumphing.
And good o'er evil, joyous-
ness o'er gloom—
Yea, life o'er death, Christ
risen from the tomb
On Easter morn.

Before the First Easter Day

ON Palm Sunday each year the
minds of millions of Chris-
tians the world over are occu-
pied with thoughts of a scene
in Jerusalem.

On the eastern spur of the Mount of
Olives lies the little town of Bethany,
a few furlongs away from Jerusalem.
On the memorable morning of his en-
trance into the city Jesus secured near
Bethany the donkey upon which he
made his memorable journey to Jeru-
salem. The occasion was the feast of
the Passover, and pilgrims from Gal-
ilee and eastern Judea, the localities in
which his ministry had been perform-
ed, accompanied him upon the journey.
As they beheld him riding on an ass
(the royal beast in the days of David)
the hopes of the multitude were sud-
denly revived. Quickly the news of
his coming spread through the long
lines of pilgrims. Those ahead tore
palm branches from the trees by the
wayside, while others spread their gar-
ments and cloaks along the way on
which he was to pass, while they all
joined in a triumphant song:
Hosanna to the son of David!
Blessed is he who cometh in the name of
the Lord!
Hosanna in the highest!

Slowly the procession came around
the southern end of the Mount of
Olives, with the gorge of the Kedron
to the south, until the wonderful city
of Jerusalem burst into view. Then,
descending into the valley, Jesus en-
tered the city through this gate in the
midst of a cheering multitude of peo-
ple, who waved their palm branches
before him. Just as the sun was set-
ting behind the hills he found his way
to the temple. He sought not a wait-
ing throne, but a quiet place for wor-
ship. Then in the hush of the even-
ing, refusing to give any encourage-
ment to the selfish material hopes of
the populace, he quietly returned to
his humble home in Bethany.

The gate, as we see it today, is en-
tirely sealed. Many hundred years
after Christ and passed through it the
city fell into the hands of the Turks,
and it was their belief and fear that
our Lord Jesus was about to return
and re-enter the city through this
gate. It was not their will that he do
this, and they believed that by sealing
it up in this manner his coming would
be prevented, and so it remains to this
day, the Sealed Golden Gate, the most
remarkable and interesting Biblical
landmark in the world.

How to Dye Eggs.

If you will save the dry, brown skins
from onions and boil the eggs with
the onion skins long enough for the eggs
to be hard you will obtain beautifully
dyed Easter eggs of various shades of
brown, with no taste of the onion and
no danger of poison, as from some oth-
er dyes.—Woman's Home Companion.

IN HIS EASTER LILY



Gets Hardened.

A man used to vicissitudes is not
easily dejected.—Samuel Johnson.

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A Venetian Episode

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

Many years ago, when the principal
method of getting rid of an enemy or
a rival was either by the stiletto in
the dark or by poison, there lived in
Venice one Andrea Casini, a gentleman
of wealth, whose only daughter, Lita,
was just coming to a marriageable age.
The Palazzo Casini stood on the bank
of the Grand canal, between the Rialto
and St. Mark's.

Marriages among the Venetians were
at that time usually contracted for by
the parents of the bridegroom, but in
this case, Signorina Casini having fallen
in love with a young man of equal
rank with herself, no objection was
made to their union. Signor Ricardo
Centimiri was a young man of wealth
and family, respected by every one,
and the match was regarded as an ex-
cellent one.

One afternoon, when the Grand ca-
nal was a promenade for the wealthy
denizens of Venice, Signorina Casini
and her fiancé were riding in the lat-
ter's gondola, bowing to their friends
and acquaintances as they passed. A
stranger from Rome was also riding in
a gondola with a view to seeing the
beauty and fashion of Venice and on
meeting Signorina Casini was struck
with her beauty.

This man was one of the De' Medici
family, who in its time played an
important part in the history of Italy
and whose members committed so
many crimes, though his relationship
came through his mother. His name
was Lorenzo Crispi. On seeing Signor-
ina Casini he inquired who she was
and on being informed took measures
to secure an introduction.

When an Italian noble of those days,
especially a De' Medici, saw a woman
he wished to possess, he stopped at
nothing. Crispi visited the Palazzo
Casini and, being a member of the
most powerful family in Italy, was re-
ceived with marked favor. Though he
knew that Signorina Lita was betroth-
ed to Ricardo Centimiri, he proposed
for her hand.

The proposal interrupted the pleas-
ant conditions with reference to the
engagement of Lita and Ricardo, for
Signor Casini insisted upon his daugh-
ter breaking with him and accepting
Crispi. This at once threw the lovers
into a sea of trouble. Lorenzo Crispi,
having made his proposition, pretended
to leave the matter to be settled by the
Casini family, but really had deter-
mined that Lita should be his bride.

Signor Casini found it more difficult
to force his daughter to give up her
lover and marry Crispi than he had
supposed. After much persuasion and
many threats he told Crispi that he
feared he must forego the honor done
him by a member of the distinguished
De' Medici family, for his daughter
was so wrapped up in Ricardo Centi-
miri that it would be impossible to
force her to break with him. Had
Signor Crispi made his proposal earlier
Signor Casini had no doubt that all
would have gone well. Crispi simply
bowed to indicate his sorrowful obedi-
ence to the young lady's wishes.

Soon after this Crispi saw Ricardo
debarb from his gondola at the steps
of the Palazzo Casini. Crispi ordered
his own gondolier to draw up at the
steps and followed Centimiri to the
house, calling for Signor Casini. Learn-
ing that Casini was not at home, but
was expected shortly, Crispi went into
the library to wait for him.

Meanwhile Ricardo and Lita were in
another room conferring as to how
they could parry the efforts that were
being made to force Lita to marry the
stranger from Rome. Crispi saw a
lackey pass through the hall with
wine and glasses on a salver. Stop-
ping the servant, he drank a glass of
the wine and asked the man to whom
he was taking it. The latter told him
that it was for Signorina Casini and
her guest.

"Present my compliments to the si-
gnorina and ask if I may be permitted
to join her," said Crispi.

Permission could not well be refused,
and Crispi was shown to the room
where the lovers were.

"I desire," he said, with a profound
bow, "to congratulate you both on
your engagement. I wish you, signor-
ina, as great happiness as I feel dis-
appointment for myself."

Responding to these self sacrificing
words, the lovers proceeded to recip-
rocate, the three pledging one another in
a glass of wine. Centimiri was de-
ceived, but Lita was not. She believed
that Crispi had some sinister intention
and resolved to be on her guard with
a view to thwarting it. Presently she
asked to be excused for a few mo-
ments and left the rivals together.
Taking position in a room where she
could see and could not be seen, she
saw Crispi, when Centimiri was not
observing him, drop something in his
rival's glass.

She re-entered the room, and Crispi
said to her:

"I was just about to ask Signor
Centimiri to pledge me in token of his
good will. May I ask the same of you?"

Lita consented. Taking up one of the
three glasses on the table she handed
it to Ricardo, the one Crispi had tam-
pered with she handed to him and took
the third herself.

"Let us drink," she said, "to a long
friendship between us."

Over Crispi's face came a look that
showed his realization of his defeat.
Touching the glass to his lips, he set
it down and, turning, left them with-
out a word. The same day he left
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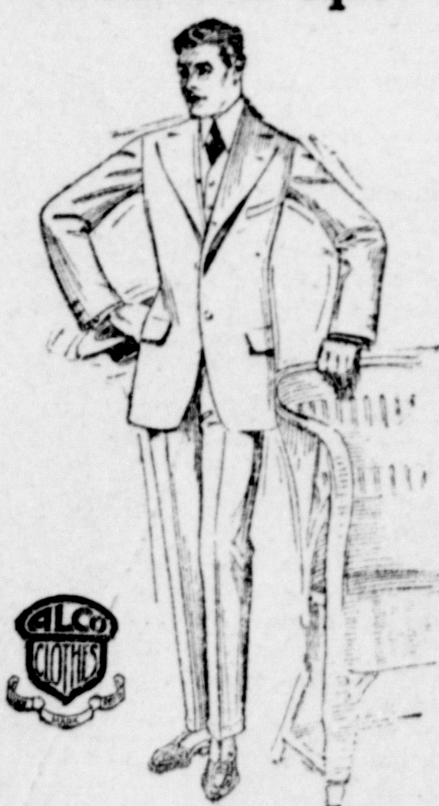
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